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Wanted.

ADVERTISEMENTS under this head, three insertions, 50 cents; six insertions, 75 cents.

WANTED—On a sheep ranche, a young man to look after sheep. Must have experience, and know how to manage dogs. Apply by letter to C. R. S. P. Box 145. oct17 tf

WANTED—Two Assistants. Apply immediately to Lewis the Tailor.

WANTED—Pants and Vest makers wanted at the Rip Van Tailor on Johnson street, between Douglas and Blanchard. oct14

WANTED—A situation as Chambermaid in a hotel or assistant in a store. Address "L," THE TIMES office. oct13 6t

WANTED—A man with a small family wishes to lease a piece of land of about ten acres, all cleared, with house suitable to occupy. Address "H. M.," TIMES office. oct13 6t

WANTED—A farm laborer, lately from England, wants employment. Is accustomed to taking care of all kinds of stock. Good references can be given. Apply to James Keefer, Vancouver Hotel. oct

WANTED—Wanted immediately, a good Compositor also a Pressman. Steady work at regular prices. Address "S," Times Westminster. sep19 tf

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Two Sulkies. Apply to E. T. Garnett's Livery Stable Broad street, between Fort and Broughton streets. oct16 tf

FOR SALE—One "Hall's" Safe, now. For particulars apply to Frank Campbell. oct2 2w

FOR SALE—BUGGY, CHEAP—For pair or single, with hood. Only been in use two months. For further particulars address S. J., Times office. oct13

FOR SALE, very cheap, a small Farm on one of the Islands, together with furniture in house. Apply for particulars to S. P. Mills, Langley street, Victoria. sep29

FOR SALE—One gentle driving Horse; one set single harness; one two-wheel Dog Cart, nearly new, for sale cheap. Apply at the TIMES office. sep18 tf

FOR SALE.—For sale or to let, a most desirable business location, being the new building situated between Captain Howard's and the Globe Hotel, Esquimalt. Property fronts on Wharf street, and rear faces the Dry Dock. For further particulars, apply at THE TIMES office. sep 9m

FOR SALE.—A fine span of American mares, six years old, well matched, weight between 2200 and 2300 pounds. Apply to the Cariboo Lumber Yard. sep19-tf

To Let.

TO LET—A single room, furnished, suitable for a gentleman. Fort street, 3rd house above Bavaria Brewery, between Blanchard and Quadra. oct6 tf

TO LET—An Office on Government street, centrally located, suitable for a Show or Sample Room. Apply at THE TIMES office. oct2

Lost and Found.

LOST—One heavy working Horse, bay, wall-eyed, white face, branded "G. P." on the left shoulder. Also, a large driving Horse, bay, small star on forehead, left hind foot white, brand like a fork on left shoulder. A liberal reward will be paid for recovery. Apply to oct 12 LARKIN, CONNOLLY & CO.

Board and Lodging.

THE undersigned having opened a first-class Boarding and Lodging House, begs to inform the public that she has accommodation for a limited number of persons. MRS. J. KING, Douglas street, between Johnson and Yates (formerly McKeon House). sep8 tf

Meetings to be Held.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Fort Streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join. sep 1-tf JAMES RUSSELL, Secretary.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMperance Hall every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections, with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 8 o'clock precisely. HENRY RUDGE, President.

THE Y. W. C. T. U. OF VICTORIA MEETS every third Monday in each month at Temperance Hall, on Pandora st., at 7.30 p. m. A good programme and sociable time at every meeting. Strangers cordially invited. noc4

DR. CHIPP,

M. R. C. S., England; L. S. A., London,
Office—Langley & Bastion Streets.
Hours—10 a.m. till 1 p.m.; 2 till 4 p.m.; 6 p.m. till 8:30.
NOTE—Women and Children only, 2 till 4 p.m.
Residence—Broad near Fort Street. Telephone Call 98.

MIDWIFERY.

MRS. McGREGOR, MIDWIFE, RECENTLY from Halifax, N. S. Diplomas and highest testimonials of proficiency from the University of Edinburgh. Calls promptly attended to. Residence, corner of Douglas and Cormorant Streets. sep17 tf

ESTABLISHED 1868.

Suits. Suits.

Men's Boys and Children's suits in great variety and at such

REDUCED RATES

as will pay you to see them before purchasing elsewhere at

A. GILMORE'S,
JOHNSON STREET, Victoria.

Horses and Shorthorns

For Sale, young and vigorous, and will be sold cheap if applied for. Responsible parties can have any of the horses for a short trial.

SHORTHORNS.

Three Shorthorn Bull Calves,

Three quarter bred, but as symmetrical as thoroughbreds.
Terms Cash. Wheat, Oats or Potatoes.
W. F. TOLMIE,
oct13 6mdAw P. O. Box 128, Victoria.

Bowling Alley.

Healthy Exercise—Pleasant Pastime.
Cheap Amusement.

MR. JAS. BAKER invites the public to his new Bowling Alley on

YATES STREET (above Douglas).

Where a pleasant hour may be passed in a strictly respectable way. Come one, Come all! oct9 1m

Amusements.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

Grand Professional Opening.

THE STRONGEST ATTRACTION EVER BROUGHT TO VICTORIA.

ONE WEEK ONLY!

Commencing Monday, October 19th.

Matinees Wednesday and Saturday.

The Greatest Living Emotional Actress

GRACE HAWTHORNE,

Supported by the Brilliant Young Actor

WILLIAM F. CLIFTON,

And a powerful Dramatic Company, presenting the following repertoire of successful plays:

Monday night, "The New Candy."
Tuesday night, "Pauline."
Wednesday matinee, "Pique."
Wednesday night, "Fair Rosamond."
Thursday night, "Miss Multon."
Friday night, "A Question In Courtship."
Saturday matinee, "The New Candy."
Saturday night, Grand farewell performance for which a special bill will be prepared.

ADMISSION—Dress Circle, $1.00; Parquette, $1.00; Balcony, 75 cents; Gallery, 50 cents. Seats secured at M. W. Watt & Co.'s bookstore, at 10 o'clock a. m., Tuesday October 13. oct13

METHODIST CHURCH BAZAAR

THE Bazaar in connection with the Methodist Church in this city, will be opened on the evening of Wednesday, October 21st, and continued afterwards for one week, when a Supper will be served every evening. Admission 25 cents. oct13

Philharmonic Hall

—ON—

TUESDAY OCTOBER 21st,

At 8 o'clock p. m., and continue on

WEDNESDAY

AFTERNOON AND EVENING.

The managing committee will be glad if the ladies, who are assisting, will kindly send in their contributions as early as possible. Refreshments from 5 o'clock during the evening. Admission 25 cents. oct13

Great Attraction!

A First-Class Upright Piano

By Heintzman & Co.

FOR ONE DOLLAR!

Tickets to be had from J. S. PATTERSON, at SOMMER'S MUSIC STORE, Frank Campbell's, and THE TIMES office. Tickets mailed to the country on receipt of One Dollar.

The Piano will be deposited of at

A GRAND CONCERT

Under the auspices of the

St. Andrews & Caledonia Society,

Of which due notice will be given.

PROCEEDS

In Aid of the Royal Hospital.

JOHN BOYD, President.
JAS. RUSSELL, Secretary. oct

NOTICE.

Tenders will be received

By the undersigned for the purchase of the

STEAMER "DAISY."

Up to noon of the 21st day of October instant, subject to her liens and engagements. Registered tonnage, 37 tons.

Further particulars to be had on application. Terms cash.

JAMES C. PRETOST,
Receiver Estate R. H. Pidcock.
Dated October 6th, 1885. oct8

NOTICE.

Governor-General's Reception.

ALL CLAIMS against the Committee must be handed in to the undersigned on or before

Tuesday next, the 20th inst.,

Or they will be disallowed.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
Hon. Secretary.
City Hall, 15th October, 1885. oct6

$500 Reward.

THE above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who have been killing our calves running on range between

Churn Creek and Lone Cabin, Lillooet District.

And a further reward of Fifty Dollars for arrest and conviction of the party or parties who cut our stake ropes during the first week of September, 1885.

P. A. HARTMAN.
F. GATTI WILSON.

October 7 1885. oct7 3m

GARRICK'S HEAD.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned has sold his interest in the Garrick's Head Saloon, Bastion street, to Mr. Edmund Sawyer, and retires from the firm of Bush & McDermott. The firm will be henceforth Bush & Spencer. All claims will be paid by Messrs. Bush & McDermott, to whom all debts due the late firm must be paid.

EDW. McDERMOTT.

Victoria 15th October, 1885. oct15 1m

Notice.

THE partnership business heretofore carried on by the undersigned at the "Ship Inn," Esquimalt, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 23rd September last. P. J. McDonald has assumed all the assets and liabilities of the late firm and will continue the business.

Victoria, October 14, 1885.

PETER J. McDONALD.
ALFRED WHITLOCK.

Witness—J. Edward Bell. oct15

Notice.

THE public are cautioned against negotiating a promissory note for $150, dated 15 June, 1885, made by Kwong Lee & Co., in favor of William Teague. The note is the property of William Teague, was placed in the hands of Gun Yow for collection, and the latter has failed, upon request, to return, or account for, the same.

Victoria, October 17th, 1885.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Solicitor for William Teague.

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Notice.

DURING my absence in California Frank Campbell holds my power of attorney.

P. MURPHY,
Adelphi Saloon.

October 3rd, 1885 oct3

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED GIVES NOTICE THAT I do not guarantee the payment of Shoom Kee, on Cormorant Street, and will from the 20th of October carry on my business in my name. All debts will be paid by Shoom Kee.

LEUNG KEE.

October 8, 1885. oct10 1m

Notices.

Contract for Supply of Mail Bags.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General (For Printing and Supply Branch), and marked "Tender for Mail Bags," will be received at Ottawa until 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 2nd November, 1885, for the supply of the Post Office Departments of Canada with such Cotton Duck, Jute and Leather Mail Bags as may from time to time be required for the Postal Service of the Dominion.

Samples of the Bags to be furnished may be seen at the Post Offices at Halifax, N. S., St. John, N. B., Charlottetown, P. E. I., Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, London, Winnipeg, Man., Victoria, B. C., or at the Post Office Department at Ottawa.

The Bags supplied, both as regards material and workmanship, to be fully equal to the samples, and to be delivered from time to time in such quantities as may be required at Ottawa.

The contract, if satisfactorily executed, shall continue in force for the term of four years, provided always the workmanship and material be satisfactory to the Postmaster-General.

Each tender to state the price asked, per bag in the form and manner prescribed by the form of tender, and to be accompanied by the written guarantee of two responsible parties, undertaking that in the event of the tender being accepted, the contract shall be duly executed by the party tendering for the price demanded. Undertaking also to become bound with the contractor in the sum of two thousand dollars for the due performance of the contract.

Printed forms of tender and guarantee may be obtained at the Post Offices above named, or at the Post Office Department, Ottawa.

Parties tendering will be required to state in their tenders the number of bags they can supply per week during the term of the contract, should the Department require them to do so.

Tenders will be considered only when made on the printed forms, and if the envelopes containing them be addressed otherwise than as above, they will not be opened.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

WILLIAM WHITE,
Secretary.

Post Office Department, Canada,
Ottawa, 1st October, 1885. oct

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Victoria until 6 p.m. on Saturday, the 7th November, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails twice per week each way between

Chilliwhack and New Westminster

during the winter season of 1885 and 1886. Conveyance to be made in a vehicle.

Commencing when the steamers discontinue their regular trips in the Fall and ending when the steamers begin their regular trips in the Spring. To leave Chilliwhack early on the mornings of Mondays and Fridays, and proceed to New Westminster with all dispatch. Returning, to leave New Westminster early on the mornings of Tuesdays and Saturdays, and to proceed to Chilliwhack with all dispatch.

Each tender to state the price asked per trip.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Offices at Chilliwhack, Sumas, Upper Sumas, Aldergrove, Langley Prairie and New Westminster, or at the office of the subscriber.

E. H. FLETCHER,
P. O. Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, 30th September, 1885. oct2

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Victoria until 6 p. m. on Saturday, the 24th November, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's mails on a proposed contract for four years, once per week each way, between

Douglas Lake and Quilchena,

from 1st January next.

The conveyance to be made on horseback or in a vehicle, at the option of the contractor.

To leave Douglas Lake every Tuesday morning, deliver the mail at Quilchena with all despatch, and get back to Douglas Lake with return mail by the evening of the same day.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Douglas Lake and Quilchena and at this office.

E. H. FLETCHER,
Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office,
Victoria, B. C., 9th October, 1885. oct12

CITY OF VICTORIA.

MUNICIPAL

REAL ESTATE TAX.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a Resolution of the Municipal Council, all Real Estate Tax remaining unpaid on and after the 31st day of October instant, will bear, and be chargeable with, interest at the rate of one per cent per month until paid.

THOS. RUSSELL,
Collector.

City Hall, Victoria, B. C., 10th Oct., 1885. oct10

MUNICIPAL.

Applications for Debentures,

TO THE EXTENT OF $18,000.

Issued by authority of the Public Lighting By-Law, 1885.

ALSO, $5000,

Issued by authority of the Drainage By-Law, 1885.

Will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 4 o'clock p. m. on the

21st day of October instant,

The Corporation do not bind themselves to accept any tender.

JAMES D. ROBINSON,
C. M. C.

City Hall, 9th October, 1885. oct9

DOMINION OF CANADA.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

LISTS of candidates to be admitted to the Examinations will be supplied by the undersigned until the 31st October.

C. F. DUPONT,
Civil Service Inspector.

Victoria, Sept. 28, 1885. sept28

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

On His Homeward Journey—Addresses Presented at Lytton and Replies.

LYTTON, Oct. 15th, 1885.

His Excellency the Governor-General and suite arrived here this afternoon at 5 o'clock by special train. Immediately afterwards Mr. Gillies presented him with the following address, on behalf of Lytton and its neighborhood:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY: We, the undersigned residents in Lytton and the district around, take the opportunity given to us by Your Excellency's stopping at Lytton, to present you with a short address:

We most heartily welcome Your Excellency's presence in this province of the Dominion of Canada. Your welcome has been very hearty at other places in British Columbia where you have stopped. Be assured that it is not the less hearty on our part, though indeed our numbers are small to-day and our preparations few. We pray you to pass over these deficiencies, which arise from the nature of the case, and accept that which comes from our heart—our unfeigned good wishes.

We are glad of the occasion to express to Your Excellency, as her representative, our constant and unswerving loyalty towards our most honored and beloved Queen.

We hope that Your Excellency's arrival, contemporaneously with the practical completion of the great Canada Pacific Railway may mark an era of reviving prosperity and increasing wealth to this province.

The full resources of this country lie as yet undeveloped, and none have guaged their extent. We look to the new highway to be the means of bringing them more to light and perfection. The grandeur and beauty of the scenery of British Columbia, unsurpassed, as we think, by any in the world, we also look to for bringing a constantly increasing stream of the lovers of nature to behold her in her perfection of mountain, lake and river. The disciples of the gun, the rod, the canvass and the camera will find here an unrivalled field for their pursuits.

It is much regretted by us that Your Excellency is not accompanied by the Marchioness of Lansdowne, but we indulge the hope of welcoming her ladyship to this province at some future time, should Your Excellency be afforded the opportunity of revisiting us.

We hope that the hardships of the journey before Your Excellency, will be at their minimum as you return eastwards and we beg that you will be pleased to accept our expressions of hope that your future may be one of success from the station. This church was reared in hope and happiness.

After replying to the address His Excellency was invited to attend the Indian church about two hundred yards distant and mostly by contributions of Indian money and labor. A considerable number of men, women and children of the Lytton Indian tribes, headed by their chiefs Spenthun and Michele were present by pre-arrangement. After entering the church the Rev. M. Small, of the English Episcopal mission, read the following address:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, the undersigned, as representing the tribes of the Mikinapamuk, give greeting and welcome to Your Excellency. We felt sorry when you passed down without giving us the opportunity of expressing our kindly feelings towards you.

We are now the more glad that we can show you our hearts. We entreat Your Excellency not to look upon the smallness of our numbers as having any bearing upon the sentiment of our hearts. It is hard at this time to assemble any but a small proportion of our people, as so many live too far away to get to Lytton at a short notice, and some of the chiefs are away hunting in different parts of the country. We ask you to accept our words as those to which all the people would give assent were they present.

Our apologies are also due to you for the meagre preparations we have made to receive you. None can feel more than ourselves how inadequate they are, and bad it been practicable they should have been more worthy the occasion. We desire first of all, to express true and constant loyalty towards her whom we delight to call the "Great Mother." Her many and special favors towards our people can form in return from us professions of lasting devotion towards her crown and government.

It is now two years since we talked about collecting money in order that three of our chiefs might go to England and in person pay their homage, and on behalf of the tribes give the great mother the assurance of their faithfulness and deep respect. This plan for want of money to carry it out, we have been obliged to give up, and thus we can only see her through you.

We regard your excellency as our great chief under God, and have the fullest confidence in your care for our best interests. We trust ourselves to you.

The visits of our great chief have hitherto been rare and most of us have never before seen him. Now that the iron road has been made between west and east, we may well hope that our great chief will now often be seen by us. We are glad to think that many of our people have, through their labor on the railway, been the means of bringing you now among us here.

We are at the same time desirous of reminding you that by the completion of this railway we have lost a field of labor that has given us work for some years past. We trust your excellency to bear our interests in mind, and that in any future works which the government may take in hand our willingness to be employed will not be forgotten, but a place will be found for the loyal hearted Indians.

We also beg, with all deference, to draw your attention to the fact that for some years past we have been waiting for the government to take in hand the subject of Indian education, and that some time ago, certain proposals were made by the Bishop of New Westminster with a view to the education and training of our children. Through Christian education alone we can hope that a higher form of morality will grow up and flourish among us.

We conclude our address by again expressing our joy at your having stopped to see us to-day. We hope it will not be the last time that you will come among us. We beg with all our hearts to wish you now God speed in your journey and every blessing upon your excellency of health, happiness, and prosperity.

SIGNED BY SEVERAL CHIEFS.

The replies to both addresses were made with great fluency and in terms that evidently pleased His Excellency's audience. Through a good interpreter he pointed out to the Indians the advantage of good conduct and loyalty, and strongly impressed upon them the necessity of being sober and industrious, instead of indulging in intemperance, which proved the ruin of the white man and Indian alike. He requested the chiefs to suppress by all means in their power the use of intoxicants, and to endeavor with the assistance of the government to educate and elevate the members of their tribes, as it was his desire, and that of the white race, that the Indians should by honesty and industry share in the prosperity of the country which was sure to follow the completion of the railway. The government did not wish to see them diminish in numbers or get poorer, but on the contrary were anxious for them to become a useful and moral people. He very courteously thanked the Indians for their address and wished them to understand that as soon as he knew that they lived in the neighborhood he determined at once to pay them a visit which now gave him sincere pleasure. As a memento of their happy meeting, he intended, when he reached home, to send them an organ for their church, a gift which the interpreter stated the Indians perfectly understood. The interpreter evidently did his work admirably, for the Indians at the close of the address heartily cheered His Excellency, who with his suite then left for Drynock, where he stays for the night. To-morrow it is his intention to proceed as far as Sicamoose Narrows, and thence homeward. The people of Lytton, it should be stated, gave the distinguished visitor three hearty "British cheers."

KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

Election of Grand Officers for the Order.

At the session of the Knights of Labor, held in Hamilton, Ont., on the 10th inst., the following were elected officers for the current year: J. V. Powderley, G M W, Scranton, Pa. Richard Griffith, G M F, Chicago, Ill. Frederick Turner, G Secretary, Philadelphia, Pa. J G Caville, G Auditor, Brooklyn, N Y. Homer L McGaw, Secretary Insurance Association, Pittsburg, Pa. The Executive Board are: J W Hayes, New Brunswick, N J; Wm H Bailly, Shawnee, Ohio; Thos B Barry, Saginaw, Mich. This is the eighth time that the general assembly have expressed esteem and affectionate regard for Powderley by electing him to the highest office in the Order.

POLICE COURT.

(Before E. Johnson, S. M.)

Harry and Johnny, Fort Rupert Indians, drunk; each fined $5 and 50 cents costs.

Jim No. 1, Jim No. 2, Tom and Charley, "four little boys," charged with fighting on Wharf street.

Superintendent Bloomfield said that on Saturday night a captain of a schooner reported that he had been set upon, assaulted and robbed on Yates street when returning to his ship, by the defendants. The captain had since left for sea, but other evidence could be brought to prove the charge. Remanded till to-morrow.

Olaf Christiansen, assisting blue jackets to desert. Officer Walker said that on the afternoon of the 14th he went to the cabin of the defendant in search of two deserters, William R. Ward and William Emory and found them in hiding under the bed both in private clothes. Defendant was at the cabin at the time. Fined $80 or six months, the lowest penalty allowed by law.

GONE TO SAN FRANCISCO.

The Queen of the Pacific left to-day for San Francisco, at noon. The following passengers went from this city: Jas Riordan, Mrs R Solomon, H L Warner, Capt R M Ball, Mrs Whitworth, R Walker and wife, T C Train, C L Peyton, J W D'Amorns, Chas Lemoine, Miss L McAbil, W J Parr, Miss H Russell, W Dufour, Mr and Mrs J N Brobant, Miss P Brobant, Joseph Brobant, Thos Brobant, A Frank, F Homer, Jno L Cartbeat, Harry Seymour, Mrs E James, H S Tibbey, John Douglas, M Murray, A Harrison, J J Supplitt, E Graf. There were eighty-five in the steerage, principally white men.

THE TIMES NEWS RAKE.

Items of Interest Gathered from all Quarters.

"Goldsmith" Maid won 122 races and upwards of $251,000 in money.

The value of the St. Leger to Melton, the winner this year was $24,000.

A second German daily paper is to be started at Portland. The Teutonic population of that city is 3,000.

English pet dogs wear bows to match the sash of their mistress, and have their favorite perfume rubbed into their coats.

There is a standing advertisement in the Tacoma *Ledger* for laborers to work on the Cascade division of the Northern Pacific Railroad.

The prisoners in the Walla Walla jail have some musical instruments and while away the time with dancing, to the great delectation of on-lookers.

The total cost of the new express train which the G. T. R. intend running between Toronto and Montreal amounts to $78,000.

San Francisco parties have purchased and will develop the asphaltum deposits near Santa Maria, Santa Barbara county. It is thought petroleum will be found there.

During the past two weeks about 7000 head of Montana cattle, via Maple creek passed through Winnipeg over the Canadian Pacific Railway destined to eastern markets.

The traffic returns of the Grand Trunk Railway for the week ending October 3rd were $207,000, a decrease of $42,000 as compared with the corresponding week of last year.

The experiment of working electric light by motive power from Montmorenci Falls has been so successful that the company is now working all their lights from that source.

Arthur Pearce, who was sentenced to the penitentiary for life for the murder of his wife at Brantford 15 years ago, has been pardoned by the Governor-General and released.

One of the government steamers left Quebec for Labrador loaded with feed and flour to alleviate the sufferings of the poor fishermen and their families of that place.

Mr. Palmer, of the Ontario Cotton Mills Company, Hamilton, has been committed for trial on the charge of feloniously stealing a million gallons of water, the property of the corporation of the city of Hamilton.

Cash is the order of the day at Geo. H. Maynard's. See his new sign.

TODAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Associated Press Despatches to The Times.

THE TIMES OFFICE,
Victoria, 1.30 p. m., Oct. 19.

SALISBURY OPPOSES A CONFERENCE.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—M. Degiers, Russian foreign minister, made overtures to Lord Salisbury and Prince Bismarck, to revise the Berlin treaty. Lord Salisbury disfavored the proposition of Prince Bismarck and replied that the time was inopportune, the elections in France and England leaving the foreign policies of those countries uncertain.

THE EUROPEAN MUDDLE.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The *Standard* this morning says Russia and Austria are unable to come to an agreement in regard to the Balkan difficulty. Prince Bismarck is determined to prevent war. The three powers have agreed to restore outwardly a state quo anti-Bulgaria. Servia and Greece will probably be choked off.

WANTS MORE TERRITORY.

BELGRADE, Oct. 18.—M. Bratiano, Roumanian premier, in an interview with Prince Bismarck, demanded that in the event of any alteration of the frontier of the Balkan provinces, the line of Roumania be extended south of the Danube, so as to enclose Silistria, Baldjik and Baltschuk, and that Roumania have the right to fortify those places.

REPUBLICAN GAINS.

PARIS, Oct. 18.—Returns so far received of second ballots to-day for members of the Chambre of Deputies, are in favor of the Republicans. Mr. Pappon, Republican, has been elected in the department of Eure against Duc DeBrogle.

RACE CASUALTIES.

MELBOURNE, Oct. 18.—During the races here, fifteen horses fell in one race, out of forty-one starters. One jockey was killed and seven were badly injured.

RAILWAYS IN CHINA.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 19.—The Chinese government has unanimously decided to proceed speedily with the work of building railways throughout the Empire.

ELECTION IN FRANCE.

PARIS, Oct. 19.—The elections passed off quietly. Goblet, Minister of Public Instruction, has been returned by a large majority. It is believed that the Conservatives are victorious in the provinces.

AGGRESSIVE SERVIA.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The Servians have occupied Kosisk Pass, which is on Germa River and partly is Turkish territory, being on Bulgarian Macedonian Territory.

OPPOSING EVICTIONS.

DUBLIN, Oct. 18.—At a mass meeting of citizens to-day a resolution was adopted, protesting against the evictions on the Earl of Pembroke's estate.

TURKEY'S DEMANDS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 18.—The Turkish Cabinet has resolved to demand of the powers more active assistance, in order to enforce the Treaty of Berlin.

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—Lord Randolph Churchill, Secretary of State for India, has acceded to the request for a searching inquiry into the affairs of India, apart from the questions of policy.

THE BALKAN QUESTION.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—The Berlin correspondent of the *Daily News* says that nearly all the powers have agreed to a conference on the Balkan question; and the hope that peace will be maintained increases.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Maynard went to the mainland to-day.

Mrs. and Mrs. Compton, Que., are at the Oriental.

John W. Farquhar, Chemainus is at the Occidental.

Mr. R. Stephenson, of Chilliwhack, returned home this morning.

Mr. J. J. McRae, of Sarona, and Mr. Powers, of Burrard Inlet, returned by the Olympian this morning.

Hon. Mr. Smithe and Capt. Larkin were passengers by the Amelia this morning.

Mrs. J. R. Tait and sister left for Clinton this morning. Mrs. Tait's health necessitates a change and she will spend several months in the interior.

Mr. J. Newlands of Similkameen, is in the city purchasing goods for a new business which he intends opening at Granite Creek.

J P Eisenbeck, San Francisco; Grace Hawthorne and troupe, G. K. Beele and wife, Seattle; C S Peyton, Chicago, and J Mannion, Grauville, are registered at the Driard.

Mr. Fred Soues, government agent at Clinton, arrived from the mainland on Saturday. He left yesterday morning for the Sound to join Mrs. Soues. They will return to the city in a few days.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Wm. Halpenny, one of the most useful and efficient officers in the employ of the government, has almost recovered from his late severe illness.

The Mexico, due to-morrow will bring the following parties from San Francisco: Miss Williams, J W Garland, P Beatty, Miss L Carne, Mrs Doan, S Sears and daughter, H R McDonald and wife, Jos Pasco, Mrs J Muirhead, and H F Stewart.

Messrs. N. Shakespeare, M. P., and Mr. Jessup were on the Island Railway today, and went over the line nearly as far as construction had progressed. It is understood that the latter gentleman was looking for a place to plant settlers, and the former was on hand to train said settlers in the way they should go politically. The Attorney-General and party returned to Victoria in the evening.

Mr. D. Chisholm, of New Westminster, returned this morning from a trip to his native province, Nova Scotia. The long period of 43 years have elapsed since Mr. Chisholm left his home. The whirligig of time had brought a great many changes in the interval, so much that Mr. Chisholm found himself a complete stranger there. The trip has, evidently, benefitted his health for he looks hale and hearty. He is accompanied by his niece, Miss A. Chisholm.

The Beaver's passengers to-day were: Miss Wilson, A G Mathews and wife, N P Pierce, Cooper, Paul, Clifton, Adrian, Chassie, Geary, W. Mead, Miss Wilson, Mr Mullen, Miss Willis, Miss Cornish, Miss Drummond, Miss Heathern, W C Bush, Miss Chisholm, Miss M Wallace, J A Campbell, H Bagster, H Williams, H Eaton, P Mills, Keane, J Green, Fish, Turnbull, G S Reed and wife, H Webb, J McKenzie, W P Cracknell, D Martin, 2 Chinese and 3 Indians.

BODY FOUND.

Floating in the Fraser—Evidence of Foul Play.

YALE, Oct. 19.—Yesterday afternoon the body of a white man was found floating down the Fraser River, near Popcum. A bullet hole over the right eye indicates foul play. The name of the man has not been learned.

ANTIGONISH.

Election of the Hon. Minister of Justice.

A dispatch to THE TIMES office announces the election of the Minister of Justice, Hon. Mr. Thompson, last Friday, over his opponent, Dr. MacIntosh, in Antigonish. Both parties claim good men were Conservatives, and in this constituency, as in Cardwell, the policy of opposing a Cabinet minister has been made manifest by a sweeping majority. The vote polled was not large, a great many refraining from going to the polls.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC.

Further Particulars of Sir A. T. Galt's New Scheme—Manitoba Coal for Montana.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—A Times Ottawa special says, as the Canadian Pacific Railway will be running in a few weeks from the Atlantic to the Pacific, it is understood that restrictions placed upon the construction of lines from points in the Northwest and Manitoba to the international boundary to connect with the American railway system will be withdrawn. In anticipation of such withdrawal Sir A. T. Galt will give notice in the official *Gazette* that he will apply to Parliament next session for a charter to construct a railway from the coal fields in Montana to the international boundary line in the direction of Fort Benton, Montana. Up to the present time parliament has refused to ratify any railway charter which would admit of a railway being constructed beyond fifteen miles north of the international boundary, but now that the Canadian Pacific, which interests the government was endeavoring to protect, is about completed, it is understood that the government will offer no opposition to Galt's scheme, the object of which is the shipment of Canadian coal to Montana, and the importation of cattle from that territory in the Dominion and thence to Britain.

FIRE FIEND IN CHICAGO.

Four Persons Burned to Death in a few Minutes in a Cottage.

CHICAGO, Oct. 19.—A terribly quick spreading fire in a brick cottage, at 80 Vernon Park Place, owned and occupied by W. S. Bates, broke out a few minutes after six this morning, in which four persons were burned to death. The family consisted of five persons and a servant girl, and all but two met a terrible death. The alarm was sounded at 6:25 a. m., and when the firemen arrived on the scene the house was in a blaze. The fire marshal found Mr. Bates in an alley at the side of the house suffering from a severe bruise, but was able to tell the story of the catastrophe. He said that at six o'clock this morning the servant girl started a fire in the kitchen and went out of doors a moment later, leaving the door open. She returned in a minute or two and found the kitchen in a blaze. Bates was aroused by the girl's screams and rushed into the kitchen and tried to extinguish the flames first with a hose attached to a hydrant, and afterward by buckets. Not succeeding, he sent in an alarm. The firemen extinguished the flames in about fifteen minutes, but when they entered the house they found the charred remains of the entire family with the exception of Mr. Bates. They were Mrs. Mary E Bates, aged 35; John Bates, aged 5; Edward Bates, infant; Mrs. Dr. Sybon, aged 70, mother of Mrs. Bates. The partitions and walls of the house were lined with felt and when the blaze started it spread with frightful rapidity. The charred bodies were removed to the morgue. Nothing was heard of the servant girl after her flight. It is also said that a brother of Mrs. Bates was lodging in the house.

THE SCOURGE AT MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Oct. 18.—For the week ending Friday night there were reported by the authorities of the Roman Catholic cemetery, 293 deaths from smallpox in the city; 29 at St. Cunegonde, 16 at St. Henri, 7 at St Gabriel, 25 at St. Jean Baptiste.

WANT A HOMESTEAD LAW.

DUBLIN, Oct. 18.—At a meeting of tenant farmers at Westport to-day, a resolution was adopted demanding the government to introduce in Parliament a bill similar to the American homestead law.

COAL SUPPLY TO THE FLEET.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 19.—A telegram from a well known English house states that the contract to supply the English fleet here with coal was signed on the 16th inst.

INCREASING THE NAVY.

LONDON, Oct. 18.—Russia is projecting large additions to her navy.

The Berlin Bourse has granted consent to quotations of the Canadian Pacific shares.

It is reported that Mr. Wingage, of Winnipeg will be promoted to the Customs Commissionership at Ottawa for Canada.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s earnings for the week ending October 7 were $[illegible], the same week last year $[illegible]. The number of miles in operation is [illegible].

The report circulated that Sir John Macdonald is going to England is incorrect. There is no truth in it whatever. The Premier, his friends will be pleased to know, is in great excellent health.

Mrs. Bolin, of Syracuse, New York, whose determined rejection of food for some time past made her the subject of considerable newspaper notoriety, died yesterday morning after having fasted 29 days.

The census of Boston for 1885 shows a population of 591,501 males and 599,[illegible] females, a total of 1,190,[illegible], a gain of 17,[illegible] as compared with 1880. Massachusetts has 1,941,[illegible] inhabitants, a gain of 1[illegible],000 compared with 1880.

Six hundred masons employed at Armour's and Fowler's packing houses, Chicago, struck [illegible] Work has not been [illegible] with, for a variety of reasons [illegible] days.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

THE DUKE OF CUMBERLAND refuses to pay legacy tax on his Brunswick inheritance, declaring himself to be the lawful sovereign of the country.

The *Pall Mall Gazette* says that the return of the Conservatives to power is not so probable as many imagine.

THE King of Dahomey has married fifty wives, being the latest addition to the three thousand women who are privileged to call him husband.

MR. PLIMSOLL, the sailor's friend, was married recently, his bride being an heiress with whom the elderly philanthropist fell in love at first sight.

IN the Post Office Department in Washington there is, it is stated, over $2,000,000 which has been taken from registered letters, and also money orders. Neither the persons to whom the letters were addressed nor the senders could be found.

IT is understood that the Washington Cabinet will consider the matter of sending back the Chinese to Canada at the next meeting. The collector of customs at Port Townsend has asked for instructions, and Secretary MANNING has requested the Attorney-General to give an opinion.

IT is proposed in Spain to start a fleet of ships, representing all maritime nations, from the little port of Palos, in Spain, on Aug. 3, 1892, the 400th anniversary of the sailing of COLUMBUS, and to have the fleet sail to San Salvador over the route taken by the great discoverer.

STEPHENSON'S "So much the worse for the cow" does not apply to British Columbia cows. On Saturday last a train collided with a cow in Yale, and as a result was driven from the track, two men and several Chinamen having been killed in the wreck. British Columbia cows turn out excellent butters. Such is the opinion of the Toronto *Mail*.

AMONG the famous men who were boys at the Charter House school, lately destroyed by fire, may be mentioned Joseph Addison, John Wesley, Sir William Blackstone, Sir Astley Cooper, General Haverlock, Bishop Thirwall, George Grote, the Earl of Dalhousie, William Makepeace Thackeray and John Leech.

THE Toronto *Globe* learns on pretty good authority that certain leading Orangemen in Toronto are sounding the rank and file of the Order with a view to ascertaining whether the Orangemen generally will not be content to put up with the "imprisonment of RIEL for life, instead of his execution."

So insignificant has England become under the rule of LORD RANDOLPH CHURCHILL, that the other day his Serene Mightiness SIR HENRY DRUMMOND-WOLFF, plenipotentiary extraordinary from Great Britain to Constantinople, was kept waiting an audience for one hour, while the Sultan chatted with the Russian ambassador. Had this happened under Liberal rule the Tories would have put on sackcloth and ashes.

INTERVIEWS published with the farm laborers in England show that the newly enfranchised voters are mainly Liberals in politics, and that the traditional conservatism of the rural districts is likely to give place to an aggressive radicalism. That radicalism will bear hard upon the game laws and the laws of primogeniture and entail which the old Tory squires have held so dear for centuries. "The fine old English gentleman" is going to get a fine old shaking up.

A GLIMPSE of LORD SALISBURY'S policy on Imperial confederation has been visible, but it was only a glimpse. In a general way he favors the Imperial federation movement, but he took the precaution to say that his plans were not matured. His desire to see a closer union between England and the colonies is confessedly based on Imperial considerations; he wants to show "the real strength of the nation in European councils." He looks upon Imperial confederation as one of the most important questions of the future. Both parties in England now favor it, but so far neither of them has undertaken to define its scope or to give the merest skeleton of the measure. And the election contest will not force either party to go beyond the vagrest generalities in touching on the question.

UNDESIRABLE COMPETITORS.

The Toronto *Globe*, according to the *Week*, has declared itself against those undesirable competitors—the Chinese laborers. At the same time the *Globe* forsees that Ontario's immunity from the presence of large numbers of the heathen Chinese "cannot continue, seeing that the Celestials now engaged in railway work in British Columbia will presently make their way eastward over the line they have helped to construct." It is just what we are to deal with these, and the *Globe* calls upon the government to protect the country from further Chinese immigration. Coming from the leading Reform organ this declaration is significant in more ways than one. Taken in connection with the extremely cautious tone adopted in treating of Quebec politics, of Catholic assertiveness, of the independence cry, of our commercial relations with the United States, of the woman's rights question of the Home Rule agitation in England—it is at least suggestive of the idea that "opportunism" will be the Grit slogan at the next Dominion election; that the Party led by MR. BLAKE is not above borrowing the tactics of his clever opponent in order to obtain the sweets of office. The *Week* has always been hostile to the passage of any restrictive legislation against Chinese. It adds: "It remains to be seen whether this policy contains the elements of success. So far as the *Globe's* declaration on the Chinese question is concerned it must disappoint a large section of advanced members of the party. The only possible objection to the Chinese workman is that he labors for a small wage. The same fault has been found with the Irishman, the Frenchman and the German. The difference is merely one of degree. All the enactments of all protective governments will fail to suspend the economic law which regulates wages, and without that John Chinaman will obtain employment as long as his greatest offence is selling his labor cheaply. If he is not permitted to assist in the production of cheap articles here, why be must go over to those whose competition will have the effect of bringing down all wages in the countries which have refused to receive the child of the sun. Better to have him working with us than for our commercial rivals."

A TELEPHONE FOR MOVING TRAINS.

A telephone line is being constructed along the track of the narrow guage railway between Paw Paw and Sawton, Mich., by means of which a moving train can communicate with the stations on either side of itself, or with another moving train. The poles holding the wire are all placed near the track and at an even distance from it. On each pole at a level of twelve feet above the rail a single arm extends towards the track. On the upper side of this arm stands the small iron vises or clamps that hold the wire. A gas-pipe standard is erected upon the cab of the engine reaching up to a level with the wire. From this standard there extend two stationary arms, one reaching forward and one backward. A cap made to turn either right or left fits upon the top of this standard. To this cap, is attached by hinge joint the long arm which rests upon the wire. This arm reaches beyond the standard, and the excess of weight on the one side is balanced by a spring on the other, so that but a few ounces of weight rest upon the wire. From the short arms before described two springs of equal strength extend to the long arm, holding it at right angles to the track. An insulated wire is soldered to the long arm and brought down through the hollow standard into the cab. From there it runs into a car and is attached to an ordinary bell telephone, the engine or the trucks of the car being used as a ground. It was found that these weights not prove a good ground connection, but the experiments made give good results. One other difficulty had to be removed by trial, namely, whether the contact of a rod moving swiftly along the wire would be steady enough to transmit an even current. The working of the apparatus described proved satisfactory as to surprise the most sanguine. Conversation in the cars while running at a rapid rate was held with the stations on either side with no more difficulty than between two common telephone stations.

A MONSTER STRUCTURE.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company have fully resolved on constructing a steel bridge of its own to cross the St. Lawrence at Montreal, tenders for the erection of which will be closed on the evening of Friday, first. The system of awarding tenders by the great Canadian corporation forms a conspicuous contrast to that adopted by our would-be modern Solomons of James Bay, whose conduct in the Point Ellice bridge affair was of so scandalous a character that no cogent excuse has yet been offered in defence of so iniquitous a system of awarding contracts. Plans and specifications for the new structure were prepared by the company's Chief Engineer, MR. P. A. PETERSON, and on the printed forms accompanying the specifications contractors can tender in an intelligent manner. The structure is estimated to cost $1,250,000. Tenders are to be accompanied by a certified cheque for an amount equal to 5 per cent. of the cost of the work for which the tender is made, as a guarantee of good faith. The superstructure required is 1 deg. For a girder of 50' clear span over the Grand Trunk railway, 2 deg. For a draw span over the Lachine Canal, which is 160 feet in width on the square and 180 feet on the skew as the line now crosses; the position of the centre pier is not yet fixed, but tenders will be taken for the centre pier in the centre of the canal as well as for the pier on the shore 10' from the bank; 3 deg. For the bridge over the St. Lawrence river, which has a width of about 3300 at the point of crossing. The channel span must be 330 feet in the clear, and have a clear elevation of 60 feet above ordinary summer water. The deck spans must be at least 16 feet wide centre to centre of chords, and the through spans at least 12 feet in the clear. The rapid increase in the C. P. R. Co.'s traffic necessitates an independent outlet to the American Atlantic seaboard, and that the company are evidently determined to secure.

THE Pacific Railway Company are endeavoring to compromise with R. R. McLENNAN and other contractors who were alleged to be overpaid or to have cheated the company through over-measurements.

M. MARINI, the French tenor, asked the trifling sum of £400 for singing each night at the Italian performances at the Paris Opera next winter, or £8,000 for twenty nights. Ultimately, as a mark of friendship, he reduced his terms to £6,000.

TOMORROW *Mail*: The British Columbians seem to have made a point against SENATOR MCINNES, who is reported to have left the province to reside in Toronto. According to the British North America Act a Senator "shall be a resident in the province for which he is appointed," and his seat shall become vacant "if he ceases to be qualified in respect of property or of residence." If SENATOR MCINNES has really abandoned his province, the Senate, under law, should unseat him. But then his absence from British Columbia may be but temporary.

COPYRIGHT in Canada is a perplexity of perplexities. A work copyrighted in the United Kingdom is copyrighted in Canada, but a Canadian copyright holds only for Canada. The "Foreign Reprints Act," passed by the British Parliament in 1847, authorized the suspension, under local colonial laws, of the prohibition of the importation of foreign reprints of English works. In pursuance of this, the Canadian Legislature passed a law admitting American reprints subject to a customs duty of twelve and one-half per cent., to be finally paid over to the British author. The returns were ridiculously small—only £1,084 in the ten years ending in 1876. In 1875 the Dominion Legislature passed a Copyright Act, which, under a permissive Act of Parliament of the same year, was approved by the Queen, but with a proviso against the importation of Canadian reprints into the United Kingdom. This law makes it possible to issue in Canada cheap reprints of English works without interfering with the more costly English editions.

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C. E. APPONYI,
my12-tf Supt.

Notice

IS HEREBY given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Salmon River Valley, described as follows:—Commencing at a post about 1½ miles below the mouth of Memekay river on Salmon river, and running west 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains, more or less, to the bank of Salmon River; thence following the banks of the Memekay and Salmon rivers to the point of commencement.

CHRISTOPHER IRVING.
Victoria, August 4, 1885. au4 2m w

Notice.

I HEREBY give notice that thirty days from date of this notice I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a Timber Lease over 15,000 acres of land in Kootenay District, described as follows:

Commencing at a stake in the west of the Columbia River, opposite Johnston's Ranch; thence run west 160 chains; thence due south 320 chains; thence due east 320 chains; thence north 320 chains; thence west 160 chains to point of commencement.

JAMES A. DEACON.
September 14, 1885. sep16

Notice.

THE Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company.—The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, Victoria, on Wednesday, 7th day of October next, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors, electing the Directors thereof for the ensuing year, and transacting the general business of the Company.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary pro tem.
Dated Victoria, August 24, 1885. aug25 td

Notice.

IS HEREBY given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 480 acres of land situate at Salmon River Valley, described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a post 20 chains from the south of Salmon river and ½ mile east of the east bank of said river, thence south 80 chains; thence east 60 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence west 20 chains to point of commencement.

WILLIAM POWER.
Victoria, B.C., 7th August, 1885. au7-4 w8m

Notice

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a public highway in South Saanich, commencing at section line of section three (3) following section line to north-west corner of section one (1) South Saanich.

RICHARD JONES,
GEORGE HARRISON,
S. G. HARRISON,
W. HARRISON.
Victoria, Aug. 4, 1885. au4

Notice:

I HEREBY give notice that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase Russell Island at the entrance to Fulford Harbor, Salt Spring Island, containing forty acres, more or less.

WILLIAM HAMEN.
September 9, 1885. sep10 1m

Notice

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as Chemists and Druggists has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Langley assumes all the assets and liabilities of the late firm.

Victoria, September 8th, 1885.

T. LANGLEY,
H. L. JONES.
Witness—J. Roland Hett, Barrister-at-Law.
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Notice

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(No. 123.)

A BY-LAW

For raising the sum of $16,000 to provide for and improve the Public Lighting of the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS the present Public Lighting of the City of Victoria is insufficient, and it is expedient and necessary to extend and improve the same, and for that purpose to raise by way of loan, upon the credit of the said city the sum of $16,000.

And whereas it will require the sum of $1,350 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And whereas the amount of the whole taxable property of the said city, according to the last revised assessment roll, is $5,000,000.

And whereas it will require an annual special rate of 1-32 of one cent in the dollar for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said intended debt according to the Municipality Act, 1881.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said city to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $16,000, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said city for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required, either in currency or sterling money, not less than $100 each, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the said Mayor.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in twenty years from the day hereinafter mentioned for this By-Law to take effect, at the office of the Treasurer, City Hall, Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of six per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and interest thereon, at the rate aforesaid, an equal special rate of 1-32 of one cent in the dollar shall, in addition to all other rates to be assessed, raised, levied and collected in each year, on all taxable property within the said city of Victoria during the said term of twenty years from the coming into effect of this By-Law, unless such debentures shall be sooner paid.

6. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation from time to time to repurchase any of the said debentures at such price or prices as shall in each case be mutually agreed, and all debentures so repurchased shall be forthwith cancelled, and no issues of debentures or of any debenture shall be made in consequence of such repurchase.

7. This By-Law shall, before the final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipality Act 1883, and shall take effect on from and after the day of the final passing thereof.

8. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as the Public Lighting By-Law, 1885.

Passed the Municipal Council the 15th day of September, A. D. 1885.

Received the assent of the Ratepayers the 29th day of September, A. D. 1885.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 5th day of September, A. D. 1885.

H. F. BITNET,
Mayor.

(L. S.) JAMES D. ROBERTSON,
C. M. C.
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(No. 124.)

A BYLAW

For Raising the Sum of $5000 to Obtain Plans and Specifications for the Drainage of the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT AND NECESSARY to provide a complete and permanent system of Drainage for the City of Victoria, and before commencing the construction thereof to obtain plans and specifications for such a system upon the best sanitary and scientific principles.

And whereas for the purpose of obtaining such plans and specifications by public competition, it is expedient and necessary to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the said City the sum of $5000.

And whereas it will require the sum of $180 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the debt intended to be hereby created and the interest thereon.

And whereas the amount of the whole taxable property of the said City, according to the last revised assessment roll, is $5,000,000.

And whereas it will require an annual special rate of 1-32 of a cent in the dollar for paying the interest and creating a yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said intended debt according to the Municipality Act, 1881.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said City to raise by way of loan, from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $5000, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said City for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required, either in currency or sterling money, not less than $100 each, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the said Mayor.

3. The said debentures shall be made payable in twenty years, from the day hereinafter mentioned, for this Bylaw to take effect, at the office of the Treasurer, City Hall, Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of six per centum per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

5. For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and interest thereon, at the rate aforesaid, an equal special rate of 1-32 of one cent in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates to be assessed, raised, levied and collected in each year, on all taxable property within the said City of Victoria during the said term of twenty years from the coming into effect of this Bylaw, unless such debentures shall be sooner paid.

6. It shall be lawful for the said Corporation from time to time to repurchase any of the said debentures at such price or prices, or shall in such case be mutually agreed, and all debentures so repurchased shall be forthwith cancelled, and no issues of debentures shall be made in consequence of such repurchase.

7. This Bylaw shall, before final passing thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided by the Municipality Act, 1881, and shall take effect on, from and after the day of the final passing thereof.

8. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the Drainage Bylaw, 1885.

Passed the Municipal Council the 15th day of September, A. D. 1885.

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IN LUCK AT LAST

BY WALTER BESANT.

CHAPTER X.

"IT IS MY COUSIN."

"Well, Joe," said his wife, "and how is it going to finish? It looks to me as if there was a prison-van and a police-court at the end. Don't you think we had better back out of it while there is time?"

"You're a fool!" her husband replied—it was the morning after his visit to Clara; "you know nothing about it. Now listen."

"I do nothing but listen; you've told me the story till I know it by heart. Do you think anybody in the world will be so green as to believe such a clumsy plant as that?"

"Now look here, Lotty; if there's another word said—mind, now—you shall have nothing more to do with the business at all. I'll give it to a girl I know—a clever girl, who will carry it through with flying colors."

She set her lips hard, and drummed her fingers on the table. He knew how to rule his wife.

"Go on," she said, "since we can't be honest."

"Be reasonable, then; that's all I ask you. Honest! who is honest? Ain't we every one engaged in getting round our neighbors? It's the whole game, all the world over, lying and deceit! Honest! you might as well go on the boards without taking up your face at try to live honest. Hold your tongue, then." He growled and swore, and after his fashion called on the heavens to witness and express their astonishment.

The girl bent her head, and made no reply for a space. She was cowed and afraid. Presently she looked up and laughed, but with a forced laugh.

"Don't be cross, Joe; I'll do whatever you want me to do, and cheerfully, too, if it will do you any good. What is a woman good for but to help her husband? Only don't be cross, Joe."

She knew what her husband was by this time—a false and unscrupulous man. Yet she loved him. The case is not rare by any means, so that there is hope for all of us, from the meanest and most wriggling worm among us to the most hectoring ruffian.

"Why there, Lotty," he said, "that is what I like. Now listen. The old lady is a cake—do you understand? She is a sponge, she swallows everything, and is ready to fall on your neck and cry over you for joy. As for doubt or suspicion, not a word. I don't think there will be a single question asked. No, it's all 'My poor dear Claude'—that's your father, Lotty—and 'My poor dear Iris'—that's you, Lotty."

"All right, Joe, go on. I am Iris—I am anybody you like. Go on."

"The more I think about it the more I'm certain we shall do the trick. Only keep cool over the job, and forget the Music Hall. You are Iris Deseret, and you are the daughter of Claude Deseret, deceased. I am Dr. Washington, one of the American family who brought you up. You're grateful, mind. Nothing can be more lively than your gratitude. We've been brother and sister, you and me, and I've got a wife and a young family and a rising practice at home in the State of Maine, and I am only come over here to see you into your rights at great personal expense. Paid a substitute. Yes, actually paid a substitute. We only found the papers the other day, which is the reason why we did not come over before, and I am going home again directly."

"You are not really going away, Joe, are you?"

"No, I am going to stay here; but I shall pretend to go away. Now remember, we've got no suspicion ourselves, and we don't expect to meet any. If there is any, we are surprised and sorry. We don't come to the lady with a lawyer or a blunderbuss; we come as friends, and we shall arrange this little business between ourselves. Oh, never you fear, we shall arrange it quite comfortably, without lawyers."

"How much do you think we shall get out of it, Joe?"

"Listen and open your eyes. There's nearly a hundred and twenty thousand pounds and a small estate in the country. Don't let us trouble about the estate more than we can help. Estates mean lawyers. Money doesn't."

He spoke as if small sums like a hundred thousand pounds are carried about in the pocket.

"Good gracious! And you've got two hundred of it already, haven't you?"

"Yes; but what is two hundred out of a hundred and twenty thousand? A hundred and twenty thousand! There's spending in it, isn't there, Lotty? Gad, we'll make the money spin, I calculate! It may be a few weeks before the old lady transfers the money—I don't quite know where it is, but in stocks or something—to your name. As soon as it is in your name I've got a plan. We'll remember that you've got a sweetheart or something in America, and you'll break your heart for wanting to see him. And then nothing will do but you must run across for a trip. Oh, I'll manage, and we'll make the money fly."

He was always adding new details to his story, finding something to embellish it and heighten the effect, and now having succeeded in getting the false Iris into the house, he began already to devise schemes to get her out again.

"A hundred thousand pounds! Why, Joe, it is a terrible great sum of money. Good gracious! What shall we do with it when we get it?"

"I'll show you what to do with it, my girl."

"And you said, Joe—you declared that it is your own by rights."

"Certainly it is my own. It would have been bequeathed to me by my own cousin. But she didn't know it. And she died without knowing it, and I am her heir."

Lotty wondered vaguely and rather sadly how much of this statement was true. But she did not dare to ask. She had promised her assistance. Every night she woke with a dreadful dream of a policeman knocking at the door; whenever she saw a man in blue she trembled; and she knew perfectly well that, if the plot failed, it was she herself, in all probability, and not her husband at all, who would be put in the dock. She did not believe a word about the cousin; she knew she was going to do a vile and dreadful wickedness, but she was ready to go through with it, or with anything else, to pleasure a husband who already, the honeymoon hardly finished, showed the propensities of a rover.

"Very well, Lotty; we are going there a once. You need take nothing with you; but you won't come back here for a good spell. In fact, I think I shall have to give up these lodgings for fear of accidents. I shall leave you with your cousin."

"Yes; and I'm to be quiet, and behave pretty, I suppose?"

"You'll be just as quiet and demure as you used to be when you were serving in the music shop. No loud laughing, no capers, no comic songs, and no dancing."

"And am I to begin at once by asking for the money to be—what do you call it, transferred?"

"No; you are not on any account to say a word about the money; you are to go on living there without hinting at the money—without showing any desire to discuss the subject—perhaps for months, until there can't be the shadow of a doubt that you are the old woman's cousin. You are to make much of her, flatter her, cocker her up, find out all the family secrets, and get the length of her foot; but you are not to say one single word about the money. As for your manners, I'm not afraid of them, because when you like you can look and talk like a country."

"I know how." She got up and changed her face, so that it became at once sullen and quiet, like a quiet serving-girl behind a counter. "Is that modest enough, Joe? And as for singing, I shall sing for her, but not music-hall trash. This kind of thing. Listen."

There was a piano in the room, and she sat down and sang to her own accompaniment, with a sweet, low voice, one of the soft, sad German songs.

"That'll do," cried Joe. "Hang me! what a clever girl you are, Lotty. That's the kind of thing she swells like. As for me, give me ten minutes of Jolly Nash. But you know how to nail 'em in, Lotty."

A Genuine Ghost Story.

[Albany Journal.]

Maj. James Haggerty, said to be probably the wittiest man in the recent legislature at Albany, some time ago addressed a teachers' association up the river, and in the course of his remarks related some "ghost" stories of ghosts he had seen himself, and several in which he had caused others to see them. "I was 16 years old," he said, "and had been sent to spend two years in the country. The old gentleman said: 'Jimmie, I can't give you a room by yourself; you will have to go up-stairs and sleep with the boys.' There were eight little beds in the room. Mine was near the window. In the middle of the night I looked out. The clouds were scudding over the moon, when, angels and messengers of grace! there at the door stood a ghost.

"My life passed in panorama before me. I thought, what crime have I committed? I ducked down under the bed-clothes, and finally thought I would risk one eye at it. It stood about two feet from the floor and was a headless ghost. Its arms would flop up and down, then it would appear to have a head, then the head would disappear. I thought if I escaped this time I wouldn't do that any more. I was getting very warm. It seemed to try to get at me. I ducked under again. It occurred to me that some of the boys were playing a trick, so I shouted: 'Oh, that's too thin.' It did not move and I made a dash at it, and together we rolled down stairs. I gave a yell that would wake the dead. The old man came out and said: 'Oh, James.' But I had the ghost. One of the young women of the house had taken her ulster and hung it on a hook and the wind getting under it kept it in motion. It was ghost enough for me. If I had not had the courage to investigate I would believe yet it was a ghost."

An Ultra-Sentimental Scene.

[Clara Belle's Letter.]

There was a clerk behind the counter in the white-goods department of a dry goods store. He had the air of a foreign nobleman, with a bewitching admixture of the American dude. The very sight of him was enough to conjure up a halo of romance around his darling, curly little head. In front of that same counter, seated placidly on a stool, was a distinguishedly fashionable young woman. She was making a selection of underclothing; and any body familiar with the beauty, intricacy and cost of the garments now worn by out-and-out swell belles can understand when I say that she seemed to be buying every thing that struck her fancy that she was indeed purchasing liberally.

But it wasn't possible, I thought, that a visibly growing emotion on the part of the pretty clerk was due to the magnitude of the sales. No; nothing directly connected with mere trade could have so stirred the depths of his delicate soul. He got worse and worse. His hands quivered, his eyes filled with tears, his replies to her casual questions grew incoherent, and finally, with a sigh that almost rent his moderate bulk, and a grip of his infinitesimal forehead between his trembling palms, he rushed out of the room.

"What, in the name of goodness, is the matter with the fellow?" I inquired of the superintendent of the department, after he had detailed another clerk to attend to the fair customer.

"On the positive quiet," he replied, "I don't mind telling you. The young man is a rejected suitor of the lady. She is going to be married to another. She is purchasing a bridal outfit. To take an active share in the making up of her trousseau was more than he could stand. See?"

She Forgot Herself.

[Detroit Free Press.]

"I reckon strychnine is what I want to kill rats with," she said, as she entered a Grand River avenue drug store the other day.

"Strychnine will do, ma'am. How much?"

"Well, I duno. Will a cent's worth kill a rat?"

"Oh, yes."

"Then I want—let's see—10 cents' worth."

"Gracious! but you must be overrun with 'em. Instead of using strychnine, why not use a dog button? It is safer to handle and is certain to kill him."

"It is, eh?"

"Dead sure, ma'am. Is it a large dog?"

"Yes, pretty large."

"All right; I'll dose him for 10 cents. Just put it on a piece of raw meat and fling it into the yard, and he'll be a dead canine before to-morrow."

She received and paid for the package and went out, but at the corner she stopped short, threw up her hands, and gasped out:

"What an idiot! I said rats, and meant to stick to rats, and then go'n let out the very first thing that it was dog!"

The Anti-Vaccinators.

[London Correspondence.]

The anti-vaccinators at Nelson, near Burnley, have just completed a house-to-house canvass of the rate-payers, who were asked to answer in writing, the two questions—"Are you in favor of vaccination?" and "Are you opposed to compulsory vaccination?"—papers being left to be filled and subsequently called for. About twenty-two hundred papers were distributed, of which about two thousand were returned. Of these 250 were returned blank or otherwise informal. Fifteen hundred and thirty-four rate-payers stated that they were opposed to compulsory vaccination, while only eighty-one declared for it.

The Antiphone.

[Chicago Tribune.]

The latest addition to the "phones" is a little instrument called the antiphone, which is the invention of a German, Capt. Plessner, of Stuttgart. It is fastened to the ear, and serves to counteract the unpleasant and often injurious influence which intense noises or sounds have on the nerves of the ear. It appears that Capt. Plessner's invention is chiefly intended as a remedy against the "piano plague" to which neighbors of almost every many-daughtered family are exposed.

Where "Uncle Remus" Gets Inspiration.

[The Critic.]

Joel Chandler Harris, the southern humorist, is devoted to his family, which consists of his mother, his wife, four exceedingly bright boys, and a girl, and the flock of mocking birds that winter in his garden. He never goes into society or to the theatre. He once acted as dramatic critic of The Constitution, but his misery at being obliged to see and criticise dull actors was so acute that he soon resigned his position. The small talk of society has no attraction for him; the home is enough.

When his children are tired and sleepy and are put to bed, he writes at the fireside where they have been sitting, it is warm in winter and cool in summer, and never lonely; and so strong is his domestic instinct that, although he had a room built especially as a study, he soon deserted its lonely cheerlessness for the comforts of his home, where his reader and kindly nature makes him loved by every dog.

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—The Milton Nobles Company in drama, etc., are expected at the Victoria Theatre in a couple of weeks.

—The Spartan, which sailed at noon, carried 270 Chinamen, the full number permitted by law.

—There is a rumor that Paine and Cotsford will have a tussle at the oars at an early day.

—Messrs J. T. Scott, J. A. Clarke, and J. Cowdaroy came over to New Westminster, Wednesday, to represent Port Moody at the reception of the Governor-General.

—The two gunning accidents which took place Saturday and Sunday are to be deplored, as both the unfortunate men have families dependent on them.

—The skating rink is drawing well, notwithstanding counter attractions. Another carnival will take place early in November.

—There was a large congregation at the Harvest Thanksgiving services held yesterday at St. James Church. Rev. Archdeacon Scriven was the officiating divine.

—The Theater Comique on Saturday suffered in consequence of the greater attraction at the Victoria Theater. An entire change of programme is announced for to-night.

—A telegram from U. Sebree, lighthouse inspector for this district, informs us that "the Cape Flattery fog whistle will stop for eight days for repairs, commencing Oct. 15th."

—Come to Port Moody says the *Gazette* if you would know the pleasure of duck shooting. Since the fall rains have set in the bay is literally covered with water fowl, and duck shooting in now a favorite pastime.

—Consignees by the Geo. E. Starr to-day: D McPherson, C McDonagh, S L Kelly, P McQuade, H C Walker, Henderson Bros, T Chapman, J Wise, H Chaffey, C M Gowan, Brewster & Co, H Bernstein, W P Cowglin.

—We understand that an appeal will be taken to the county court against the decision of the police magistrate, given to-day, in the case against Capt. Wilson. Drake, Helmcken & Jackson were for the captain; and Davie & Pooley for the prosecution.

—Arrangements have been perfected for a hard glove contest between Jack Hayes, of this city, and Jack Clayton of Esquimalt. Both men will go into active training at once. Hayes is the lighter man by 20 pounds but is already the favorite.

—After a surfeit of dramas, comedies, concerts and operas, the public will have a diversion now that a troupe has arrived with an entire repertoire of society plays. The costumes worn by Miss Hawthorne during this week, will be magnificent, being the handiwork of New York and Parisian modistes.

—Mr. Charles McHardy returned from the north on the Barbara Boscowitz. He brought down a ton of coal from the mine near Alert Bay, as a sample. The seam at the outcropping is two feet thick, but it is believed that it grows rapidly thicker. A tunnel forty feet long has been run in, and steps will be taken to develope the mine.

—The funeral of the late James Crosson occurred on Sunday, at 2 p. m., and was very largely attended by the friends and acquaintances of the deceased. The pallbearers were: Messrs. W. McKeon, Jas. Larmon, Frank Campbell, James Hutchinson, Henry Young and Michael Jamieson. The cortege proceeded to St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, where Rev. Mr. Stevens officiated, and thence to Ross Bay.

—The weather is at present most enjoyable. Sunday was bright and cloudless, and the warmth of the sun was equal to a midsummer day. The lofty white peaks of Mount Baker were clearly discernible to the east, and the Olympians loomed up dark and gloomy to the south, their bases enveloped in an unpenetrable haze. The glories of our climate and the unapproachable grandeur of our scenery were admired and praised without stint by many visitors from the east.

—On Saturday, Mr. George Bridges, while hunting in the Sooke forest shot two deer, and while packing them back to camp he slipped, and in falling broke a leg. The accident happened a mile and a half from camp, which distance Mr. Bridges was compelled to crawl on his hands and knees. The way was rough and hilly, and as may well be imagined every foot of the road was accomplished under terrible suffering. Arriving at camp, he secured assistance, and was driven to Victoria. Dr. Renwick reduced the fracture and the patient was returned to his home at Cedar Hill.

A PLEASING INCIDENT.

A pleasing incident took place on Saturday evening last in the dressing room of the new theater when the young ladies engaged in the performances of the minuet presented Mrs. Chudley with a glass epergne as a small token of their thanks for her kindness in instructing them, and so ably assisted by Prof. Haynes as violinist, at both their private rehearsals and public performance. The presentation was made by Miss May Harrison and Miss White on behalf of the minuet performers.

GRACE HAWTHORNE.

This talented artist and company, arrived on the Geo. E. Starr this morning and will appear at the Victoria Theater tonight in "The New Camille." The sale of seats at M. W. Waitt's book store is already quite large and a crowded house may be looked for to-night. The interest manifested in Grace Hawthorne's coming engagement is quite extended and we bespeak for her a grand success.

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THE NEW THEATRE.

Final Performance of the Pirates of Penzance and the Minuet.

The performances in connection with the opening of the new theater were continued on Saturday. In the afternoon a matinee was given to a fair audience. The acting of our local amateurs was considered good, each sustaining their respective parts in a creditable manner. The minuet was not given. In the evening the attendance was fully as large as on the previous evening, while the acting was, if it were possible, better. Everything passed off as smoothly as if the company had been a thoroughly trained stock one. All the characters were well sustained by those taking part in the opera, of whom there were in all 42. In our report on Saturday a few inaccuracies occurred in the names. In the orchestra the names of Miss Mattie and Harry Young were incorrectly given. The Daughters were Misses C. Storey, N. and A. Austin, Heathorn, Adler, Campbell, Waitt and the Misses Harrison. Pirates: Messrs. P. T. Johnson, M. Miller, J. S. Yates, A. Gribble, R. B. McMicking, A. Gray, G. Langley and J. Decker. Police: G. Gay, Jr., W. R. Higgins, R. Munro, J. W. Muir, T. S. Gore, H. W. Wootten, A. Langley, A. Munro, A. Brice, H. J. Martin, — Martin, and G. Hollen. The gentlemen appearing as police were similar in the first act. Each act was finished amidst deserved applause. The acting of the young ladies in the minuet was deservedly applauded. The playing of the orchestra was favorably commented upon. The proceeds of the afternoon performance was voted to Prof. Pfordner, who so generously provided a dinner for the performers in the evening. The net proceeds are to be divided between the Victoria Theatre Company and the Amateur Orchestral Society. At the conclusion of the performance, those taking part in the programme adjourned to the dining room of the Driard, where a most sumptious collection was served. Toasts were proposed and responses made thereto. The happy company separated at a seasonable hour, highly delighted with the manner in which they had sustained their difficult parts, and none more so than Mr. S. Wootten, who has demonstrated himself to be a first-class manager, able to handle the most difficult of plays.

QUARANTINE REGULATION.

Case Against Capt. Wilson Dismissed—The Judgment.

In the police court this morning, Mr. Johnson gave judgment in the case instituted by Dr. Jackson, health officer, against Capt. Wilson, as follows:

The defendant is charged by Dr. Jackson with a breach of the quarantine regulations. On the 8th of October, the steamer Olympian of which the defendant is master, came into the port of Victoria without making quarantine. She had on board during her passage from Port Townsend on that occasion a person inflicted with smallpox; but it seems clear from the evidence that the defendant did not know and had no reason to suspect that there was such a disease on his ship.

After the prosecutors case had closed, the defendant's counsel asked me to dismiss the case for want of proof that the diseased person was a passenger by the steamer on the occasion in question, contending that certain evidence on the point, which had been given without objection, was really inadmissable. I am glad to find myself relieved from the duty of having to decide the case on purely technical grounds. The objection came too late, and even if it were not so it appears from Remmant's case, (R. & R. 136) as quoted in Rose Cr. Ev., that in such an emergency the court may make any further inquiries of the witnesses that may be necessary in order to answer the objection. If I had exercised that power the objection would of course have disappeared at once, and the same object was attained by the evidence of the witnesses for the defence.

The other ground of defence, the absence of *mens rea*, is one which goes to the merits. The general rule, as laid down in the case of Dickinson vs. Fletcher, (9 C. P. Ca. 1) is that no penal consequences are incurred where there has been no personal neglect or default, *mens rea* is essential to the offence under a penal enactment, unless the contrary intention appears by express language or necessary reference. The defendant, in my opinion, comes within the rule, and the case must therefore be dismissed. I shall not give costs because I think the prosecution was properly instituted.

During the delivery of the judgment, Consul Stevens occupied a seat on the rostrum, to the right of His Honor.

VICTORIA DRIVING PARK.

In anticipation of the celebration of the Prince of Wales 'birthday, which this year falls on Monday, the 9th proximo, the management of the Victoria Driving Park have entered for the pleasure of the people and announce a programme of races commencing on November 6th and continuing over the following Saturday. The events fixed for the first day (Friday) are, a trotting match, best three in five heats, for a purse of $150 to the winner, and a second purse of $50. The match is confined to entries who have never beaten a 3-minute record. The second event of the day is a running race, mile heats, best two in three, free to all, for a purse of $150. There will doubtless be some impromptu races, and the sport will be honest and enjoyable. On Saturday, the 7th prox., the meeting will be continued, opening with a quarter-mile dash, free to all, for a purse of $50, and that will be followed by a trotting match, best three in five, free to all, for a purse of $200, supplemented by a $50 purse for the second horse. The third race, closing the programme, will be a half-mile dash, running, for colts 4 years and under. The purse is $100 for the winner. Mr. J. R. Tait, the manager of the Driving Park, has the meeting well in hand. The track is being properly graded and put in capital condition, so with fine weather, close and interesting contests may be relied upon. Due arrangements will be made for the conveyance of the public to the park.

A GREAT DISAPPOINTMENT.

The non-performance of the minuet at the new theatre matinee on Saturday afternoon last, was a great disappointment to those citizens who went with their children almost expressly to see the spectacle. It should have been announced by the matinee managers that it had no connection with the evening performances, and had been altogether opposed by the conductor of the Pirates of Penzance, as forming any part of the programme. It is a matter of congratulation, he was not successful in doing so in the evening performances whereby the visitors would have been deprived of such a treat.

SIR C. TUPPER AT WINNIPEG.

Sir Charles Tupper, accompanied by Messrs. A. Robertson, Townsend and A. Oederlunk, the contractor, arrived in Winnipeg from the west by special train on the 9th inst. Sir Charles expressed himself as highly pleased with his trip to British Columbia, and while here was assured by the Premier, Hon Mr. Smithe, and others, that the province would be properly represented at the Colonial exhibition. The party left on the following morning by a few weeks Sir Charles returns to England.

FROM THE NORTH.

Return of the Boscowitz—A Large Passenger List—No Startling News.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz arrived from Fort Simpson and way ports at six o'clock Sunday night. She brought down the following

PASSENGERS,

most of whom are miners returning to hibernate in Victoria: W H Dempster, Jessie Haptenstall, Mrs Haptenstall, Louis Haptenstall, J Graaff, Mrs Graaff, Peter Sass, Wm Larkin, Mrs Snow, C Ring, P Ledue, O Marcelle, Ned Donahue, D Dewar, S J Booth, W G Huson, T W Connant, G Morrell, A Black, J Tyrrell, M Larkin, J McLarty, D Money, W McPherson, J Moore, P McDonald, J Morrow, C McLeudey, Charles Allison, J Graham, R Miller, N Matheson, C Daly, A Campbell, J Herring, Joe Wilson, McKay, J Newton, N G Heffren, G Hotton, Eli Jones, Ed Jones, A Fraser, T Scales, J Rood, H Mallory, Miss Lawrence, S A Spencer, M King, Thomas Cox, George H Tamblin, C Spragg, Chas McHardy, J Allen, J Reeth, seven Indians and one Chinaman, a total of sixty-four passengers.

THE FREIGHT

comprised: 1538 cases of salmon, 134 barrels salt salmon and 500 boxes in shooks, from R. Cunningham; 350 barrels salmon from Rivers Inlet, 970 cases salmon from Alert Bay, one ton of coal from Sequash for sample, and several small shipments of skins, furs and oils. Mr. Jagger, the purser, brought down $5000 in gold dust, while as much more was contained in the buck skins of the returned miners.

THE OUTPUT OF GOLD

for the present season will not exceed, although it may equal, that of last year. On Lorne creek, owing to heavy rains early in the season, a freshet occurred which washed away the flumes, thus effectually putting a stop to operations a month earlier than was expected. Some of the claims have paid their owners good wages, and a considerable quantity of gold was brought down. A majority of the miners, however, have returned without full wallets, and although somewhat discouraged with their bad luck, they are still hopeful that fortune may yet smile upon them, and next spring will begin again with renewed energy. The Kitsum-Kalum district did not turn out as well as was expected, and very little dust was taken out there. About twenty miners will winter at Lorne Creek.

MORGAN'S EXTRADITION.

(Before His H. B. Begbie, C. J.)

Mr. Walls made application for the extradition of W. D. Morgan, for murder at Beaverhead Co., Montana, remanded from 3rd Oct.

T. C. Jones, sworn—Am sheriff at Beaverhead County, Montana. Have charge of all criminal affairs there. Have known prisoner for two years; knew deceased and his wife. Prisoner was originally married to wife of deceased. From information received I proceeded to Glendale, Montana, and discovered deceased lying dead between 10 and 11 a. m. on 5th of July. His wounds were through the head and the groin ribs; the hole, one by one and a half inch in diameter. The bullet might have come from rifle produced; the bullet went clear through him. I think this caused death. In my opinion the man could not live long after receiving these wounds. His clothes appeared burnt but there was no powder in wounds. The spot of the murder was near a woodpile, 75 yards from the house. Traced the tracks of murderer for two and a half miles. Have had conversation with prisoner in Victoria. He said, knowing who I was, he gave Haining a chance to shoot first; he saw him draw a pistol and fire, then he fired at deceased.

W. McNeill, sworn: Gun produced was in possession of prisoner, wrapped in his blankets, when I arrested him.

Remanded till to-morrow.

MARINE.

The tug Alexander left Royal Roads this morning with the ship State of Maine in tow for Nanaimo, to load coal for 'Frisco.

The tug Pilot towed the bark Spartan, Capt. Cairn, out of the harbor to the sea at 1 o'clock this afternoon, bound to Hongkong with Chinese passengers.

FARWELL.

Messrs. Allsop & Mason announce that they are prepared to sell lots in Farwell, which is certain to become a place of importance, as it is located at the crossing of the C. P. R. on the Columbia river, from which there is navigation into the United States, being the only place possessing this advantage between Winnipeg and the Pacific coast.

THE PEACE ACT.

The Canadian *Gazette* of the 10th contains a proclamation that the Peace Preservation Act is put into force in all those parts of British Columbia lying within twenty miles of each side of the Canadian Pacific Railway, including the hundred and fifty miles from the boundary of British Columbia at the summit of the Rocky Mountain range to a point on said line thirty-five miles beyond the west crossing of the Columbia river. Lieutenant-Colonel Irvine, Herchmer, S. R. Steel, and W. D. Antrobus, Commissioners of Police, are appointed Commissioners under the Peace Preservation Act.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Canadian *Gazette* of the 10th contains a despatch from the Home Government giving notice, respecting the Indian Civil Service examinations, that the curriculum of the examinations may be procured at the offices of the Secretary of State at Ottawa and of the several provincial secretaries. An Order in Council respecting re-worked tobacco, on which a refund of previous duties will be paid, less five cents per pound for supervision and stamps. A despatch transmitting for publication the Imperial Submarine Cables Act, to carry into effect the Cables Convention decisions of last year. This Act is not operative as to Canada until the consent of the government of Canada is given.

Fine Oysters.

A large bed of oysters has just been discovered by some fishermen on the Island, the bivalves being the largest and most delicious yet seen here. They are shipped direct to Joe Levy, of the Arcade, on Government street, where they will be supplied to lovers of this favorite dish.

A Rare Opportunity.

Dr. Mintie, of San Francisco, who is admitted to be the most successful specialist on the Pacific Coast, is now represented in this city. The rooms of the doctor are at the Oriental hotel, where consultation may be had free.

It is rumored in Montreal that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company intend to break up the telegraph monopoly and at once construct a line over the whole Dominion with connections in the United States.

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Heavy Rich LYON'S SILK, 24-in. wide, $1.45 per yard; worth $2.25.

Ladies' Merino Vests, 50 cents each.

Note the address—Columbia House, Corner Fort and Broad Streets.

BEADED BLACK SILK JERSEYS; Beaded Black Cashmere Jerseys; Plain Black Cashmere Jerseys, from $1.62½ each. Just received at the

CITY HOUSE.

A fine line of French Patent Dancing Pumps, just arrived at Geo. H. Maynard's, Fort street.

8 lb Woolen Blankets $3 per pair, at Cheap Variety Store, Masonic Building, Douglas street.

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At the CITY HOUSE.

JERSEYS! JERSEYS!

One hundred and fifty Jerseys received to-day at the White House. Hutcheson, Young & Co.

Just arrived, 17 cases fall Boots and Shoes direct from eastern manufacturers, all of which are marked at prices way down for cash at Geo. H. Maynard, Fort street.

Rand Bros, real estate brokers, have removed from Yates street to Galpin's new block, Fort street.

A beautiful line of FOLDING CHAIRS and ROCKERS, latest designs, just received at JOHN WELLER'S, Fort street.

DECORATED TOILET SETS, majolica ware and fancy glassware, just opened at JOHN WELLER'S, Fort street.

Eastern Shell Oysters, just received at the Poodle Dog.

ICE at Brewster's, Yates street, or of W. Tinson.

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The B. C. Directory for 1885, just issued by R. T. Williams, publisher, is a perfect compendium of information concerning the city of Victoria and the province of British Columbia. The subscription price, $1.50, is so low that it should be kept as a book of reference in every business house and residence in the province.

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NEW TO-DAY.

A CARD.

THE BOSTON TAILOR has left Victoria for San Francisco to spend the Winter there. October 19. oct19 2i

POSTPONEMENT!

THE Auction Sale of the Steamship Barbourne at Sooke Harbor, Victoria Packing Co. and Saw Mill, Rivers Inlet, is postponed until further notice. J. P. DAVIES & CO., oct19-2i Auctioneers.

POSTPONEMENT!

THE Auction Sale of the Douglas Packing Co., Nass River, is postponed until further notice. J. P. DAVIES & CO., oct19-2i Auctioneers.

WITHDRAWAL!

THE Cannery plant advertised at auction for freight and charges is withdrawn from sale. oct19-2i J. P. DAVIES & CO., Auctioneers.

NOTICE.

Pirates of Penzance!

WE are now preparing to make sittings for the

Composition Picture

Of the members of the above Company.

Every member is requested to make an appointment for a sitting at their very earliest convenience.

HALL & LOWE, Photographers. oct9 1m Government street.

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With capacity of 20,000 to 40,000 feet per day, together with

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Lots for Sale.

ALLSOP & MASON. oct9

Victoria Choral Society.

THE members of the above Society, and their friends who may be desirous of joining the Association, are invited to attend a meeting at Foresters' Hall, Government street, on Tuesday evening, at 7 o'clock.

By order, REV. D. H. BOSS, President.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

AUCTIONEERS.

Underwriters' Sale.

WE have received instructions from Captain John Richardson to sell by public auction, for account of whom it may concern, on

Friday, October 23rd, 1885,

AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.,

On the C. P. N. Company's Wharf,

The Condemned British Bark "ROBERT KERR,"

1191 TONS,

As she now lies afloat in Coal Harbor in Burrard Inlet, having been stranded on San Juan Island, together with Masts, Yards, Sails, Standing and Running Rigging, Chains, Anchors, etc.

Immediately Afterwards.

We will sell the Robert Kerr's Boats, spare Suit of Sails, large lot of Stores, Crockery, Cutlery, Paints, Oils, Shovels, Yellow Metal, 6¼ coils Manilla Rope (2 to 4 inches), Oakum, Canvas, Twine, 2 Patent Logs, Fog Horns, Medicine Chest, Clock, Telescope, Binocular, Barometer, Chronometer, Flags.

N. B.—Purchasers will have to pay Customs duty on all articles subject to the same.

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☞ Catalogues containing conditions of sale will be ready in a few days.

JOSHUA DAVIES, oct5 Auctioneer.

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THE AMERICAN BARK

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1300 Tons.

JOHN ROSS, - - - MASTER.

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He makes up Pea Jackets and Overcoats in the Latest Styles from $20 to $25. HE MAKES THE BEST FIT OUT. oct13 1m

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—IN—

HAMLEY'S NEW BLOCK,

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And is prepared to furnish, at suitable prices, the

Choicest and Freshest

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FROM A SELECTED STOCK.

Orders promptly filled and satisfaction guaranteed. oct13 1m

POULTRY STAND

J. BROWN has opened a Poultry stand in the premises known as the Fish and Game Market, Johnson street, third door east of Government. Poultry dressed to order. Game, fish and Fruit always on hand. The stand will be supplied at the lowest possible prices. oct13

HAVANA CIGARS.

A FURTHER SHIPMENT OF

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From the Factory of Andres Rodriguez, Havana.

Regalia Imperial, Regalia Chica, Regalia de Londres, Regalia de la Reina, Conchitas.

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